## PRESENTLY PENDING CLAIMS

Following is a complete listing of the presently pending claims without amendment.

1. (Previously Presented) A bearing arrangement for a switching shaft of a low-voltage circuit breaker, in which two coupling levers are arranged at a distance from one another on an integral switching shaft, for mechanical connection of a movable switching contact associated with one switch pole, comprising:

a bearing assembly, connected to a housing front wall of the switch pole and including a bearing body mounted on the housing front wall of the switch pole, surrounding the switching shaft in the form of a half shell, and wherein a first subregion of the bearing body is arranged between the coupling levers and forms side guide surfaces for the coupling levers, which are connected to the switching shaft.

- 2. (Previously Presented) The arrangement as claimed in claim 1, wherein the bearing body includes a second subregion, which projects axially beyond the coupling levers and forms stop surfaces for the coupling levers.
- 3. (Previously Presented) The arrangement as claimed in claim 1, wherein the bearing assembly includes a catch hook, whose mating piece forms a bolt which passes through the coupling levers, with the catch hook being mounted in a recess in the bearing body so as to be pivotable.
- 4. **(Previously Presented)** A multipole low-voltage circuit breaker including a bearing arrangement as claimed in claim 1.
- 5. (Previously Presented) The arrangement as claimed in claim 2, wherein the bearing assembly includes a catch hook, whose mating piece forms a bolt which passes through

the coupling levers, with the catch hook being mounted in a recess in the bearing body so as to be pivotable.

- 6. (Previously Presented) A multipole low-voltage circuit breaker including a bearing arrangement as claimed in claim 2.
- 7. (Previously Presented) A multipole low-voltage circuit breaker including a bearing arrangement as claimed in claim 3.
  - (Previously Presented) A multipole low-voltage circuit breaker comprising:
    a plurality of switching contacts;
- a switching shaft, in which two coupling levers are arranged on the switching shaft for mechanical connection of each movable switching contact, associated with a switch pole; and
- a bearing assembly connected to a housing front wall of the switch pole and including a bearing body mounted on the housing front wall of the switch pole, surrounding the switching shaft in the form of a half shell, wherein a first subregion of the bearing body is arranged between the coupling levers and forms side guide surfaces for the coupling levers, which are connected to the switching shaft.
- 9. (Previously Presented) The multipole low-voltage circuit breaker of claim 8, wherein the bearing body includes a second subregion, which projects axially beyond the coupling levers and forms stop surfaces for the coupling levers.
- 10. (Previously Presented) The multipole low-voltage circuit breaker of claim 8, wherein the bearing assembly includes a catch hook, whose mating piece forms a bolt which passes through the coupling levers, with the catch hook being mounted in a recess in the bearing body so as to be pivotable.